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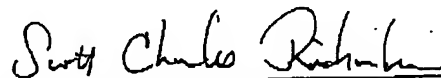
Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Restriction Requirement dated December 31, 2002, for which the one-month shortened statutory period expired on January 31, 2003. A petition for a one month extension of time is included herewith, extending the due date for response to February 28, 2003.

In response to the Election / Restriction Action, Applicants hereby elect, without traverse, Group III comprising claims 7-36.

In the event any issues arise during the prosecution of this application which may readily be resolved via telephone, the Examiner is kindly invited to contact the undersigned Gateway patent attorney at the telephone number listed below.

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